

PATENT APPLICATION

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AMENDMENT

Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated January 12, 2007, please extend the period of time for response two (2) months, to expire on June 12, 2007. Enclosed is a Request for Extension of Time and the requisite fee.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page **2** of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page **3** of this paper.

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